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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE PRESIDENT FROM NEPALESE KING BIRENDRA

1. (FYI - KATHMANDU) BEGIN TEXT - ON THE HAPPY OCCASION OF THE INDEPENDENCE DAY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WE ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF NEPAL EXTEND TO YOUR EXCELLENCY OUR HEARTY FELICITATIONS AND BEST WISHES FOR YOUR PERSONAL HAPPINESS AND FOR THE PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY OF THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA. WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT THE CORDIAL AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES WILL BE FURTHER STRENGTHENED IN THE YEARS TO COME. BIRENDRA. END TEXT.

2. FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO THE KING: BEGIN TEXT - YOUR MAJESTY: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE AS WE CELEBRATE THE ANNIVERSARY OF OUR INDEPENDENCE. WE VERY MUCH APPRECIATE YOUR THOUGHTFUL EXPRESSION UNCLASSIFIED

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OF GOOD WISHES. SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER. END TEXT.

3. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO. CHRISTOPHER

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